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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Bell et al.

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Filed: May 31, 1995

For: METHOD OF IDENTIFYING AGONISTS

AND ANTAGONISTS

Group Art Unit: 1647

Examiner: Landsman, Robert S.

Atty. Dkt. No.: ARCD:177

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants request an extension of time of two months to and including June 28, 2004, in which to file their response to the Office Action dated January 28, 2004. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, the extension fee is \$210.00. That fee is included herewith.

If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed material, or should an overpayment be included herein, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: 50-1212/40.

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